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STIPULATION TO CONTINUE PRELIMINARY HEARING

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between Daniel G. Bogden, United States Attorney, and Nicholas D. Dickinson Assistant United States Attorney, counsel for the United States of America, and Peter S. Christiansen, counsel for Defendant RAMOS, that the preliminary hearing for the above-captioned matter, currently scheduled for February 19, 2015, at the hour of 4:00 p.m., be vacated and continued to a date and time convenient for this Court, but in no event earlier than twenty-one (21) days.

This stipulation is entered for the following reasons:

- 1. Defendant Ramos recently retained current counsel. The parties met on February 17, 2015 and believe that this matter will be resolved. The parties need additional time to finalize plea negotiations.
 - 2. The Defendant is not in custody and does not object to the continuance.

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- 3. Denial of this request for continuance of the preliminary hearing would prejudice both the Defendant and the Government and unnecessarily consume this Court's valuable resources, taking into account the exercise of due diligence.
- 4. Additionally, denial of this request for continuance could result in a miscarriage of justice.
- 5. The additional time requested by this stipulation, is excludable in computing the time within which the defendant must be indicted and the trial herein must commence pursuant to the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(b) and 3161(h)(8)(A), considering the factors under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(i) and (iv).
 - 6. This is the first request for a continuance of the preliminary hearing herein. DATED: February 18, 2014.

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 2 DISTRICT OF NEVADA 3 * * * 4 5 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 2:15-mj-00008-CWH 6 **ORDER CONTINUING** 7 Plaintiff, PRELIMINARY HEARING 8 vs. 9 ERNESTO JOSHUA RAMOS, 10 Defendant. 11 12 **ORDER** 13 Based on the pending Stipulation of counsel, and good cause appearing therefore, IT IS 14 HEREBY ORDERED, that the preliminary hearing in the above-captioned matter, currently 15 scheduled for February 19, 2015, at the hour of 4:00 p.m., be vacated and continued to 16 March 24, 2015 at 4:00 p.m. 17 18 DATED: February 18, 2015 19 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28